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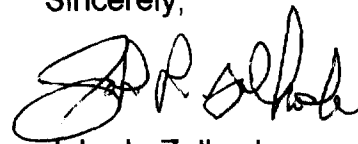
August 12, 1998

Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Enclosed is a petition for rule-making to amend the table of allotments. You will find an original and four copies.

Should you have any questions whatsoever, please do not hesitate to call me at (503)-769-2886.

Sincerely,



John L. Zolkoske

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Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of:
Petition for Rule Making to Amend the Table of Allotments

To: Federal Communications Commission (FCC)

Date: August, 12, 1998

Petition Made by John L. Zolkoske for
Rule-Making to Amend
the Table of FM Allotment to Add
Channel 228A (93.5mHz) to Condon, Oregon.

Submitted is a petition for rule-making to amend the table of FM allotments to add the channel 228 (93.5 mHz) with service class A to the community of Condon, Oregon. Based on the enclosed constraint study, this channel meets all minimum distance requirements as set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations part 73.207.

Condon, Oregon is a community in the state of Oregon. It has a population of 635* and is the county seat of Gilliam County, population 1717.** Approximately 800 people reside in the immediate vicinity of Condon. If permitted, this allotment will be the first aural service assigned to the community of Condon. It would also be the first aural broadcast facility assigned to Gilliam County. The isolated rural location of Condon makes it difficult to receive other broadcast signals. Condon is an established community of homes, businesses, schools, and governmental offices.

The proposed reference location (N 45° 14' 12", W 120° 11' 02") is one roughly in the center of the community. While it is doubtful that this exact location could be used for a transmission facility, there are locations inside and near the community which would serve this purpose.

If the proposed channel is added, the petitioner has an interest in applying to obtain a construction permit to build a broadcast facility on this frequency in this community if opened for applicants. It is believed by the petitioner, Jon L. Zolkoske, that the citizenry of Condon and Gilliam County would be served substantially from establishment of a broadcast facility there. Since this area has no other local broadcast service, the petitioner believes this proposal is in the greatest public interest.

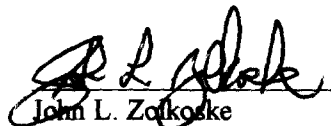
Therefore, it is requested that the FM Table of Allotments be amended to add channel 228A be added to Condon, Oregon.

For more information or correspondence regarding this petition, the petitioner may be contacted at the following address:

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To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this petition is accurate.

Signed this 12th day of August, 1998:



John L. Zolkoske

* From U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 data.

** From U.S. Census Bureau, USA Counties 1996 (1995 data)

Attachments

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Constraints Study FM Channel 228A

Title: ORCONDON
Reference City: Condon, OR
Translators Are Not Included
Audit File: fms08128.A01

Latitude: 45-14-12
Longitude: 120-11-02
FCC Database: 980803

Call	Auth	Licensee Name	Chan	ERP-kW	Latitude	Az-to	Dist	Req
City of License	St	FCC File No.	Freq	EAH-m	Longitude	-from	(km)	(km)
USED			227C1		45-55-24	60.7	159.35	133
Walla Walla	WA		93.3		118-23-30	241.9	26.35	CLEAR
Coordinates updated from LIC record BLH7359								
KTWY	LIC	Comcast Media Service	227C1	42.	45-59-19	61.1	177.63	133
Walla Walla	WA	BLH-911202KA	93.3	420	118-10-28	242.6	44.63	CLEAR
KGSG	LIC	Gospel Music Broadcas	229A	0.60	46-04-59	39.8	123.33	72
Pasco	WA	BLH-970409KA	93.7	292	119-09-38	220.6	51.33	CLEAR
USED			229A		46-09-37	35.8	127.24	72
Pasco	WA		93.7		119-13-07	216.5	55.24	CLEAR
Docket: 95-71								
KPDQFM	LIC	Salem Media of Oregon	229C	100.	45-29-20	279.0	198.69	165
Portland	OR	BLH-900828KD	93.7	387	122-41-40	97.2	33.69	CLEAR
USED			229C		45-29-23	279.1	198.85	165
Portland	OR		93.7		122-41-47	97.3	33.85	CLEAR
Coordinates updated from LIC record BLH7228								

End of Constraints Study FM Channel 228A

USA COUNTIES 1996

Geographic Area: Gilliam, OR (41021)

Table: GENERAL PROFILE

POPULATION AND HOUSING (Bureau of the Census)	
Total resident population:	
1995.....	1,861
Percent 65 years and over.....	16.8
1990.....	1,717
1980.....	2,057
Occupied housing units, 1990.....	696
Percent owner occupied.....	66.7
BIRTHS AND DEATHS (National Center for Health Statistics)	
Births, 1993.....	19
Per 1,000 resident population.....	10.7
Percent to mothers under 20 years of age.....	5.3
Deaths, 1993.....	18
Per 1,000 resident population.....	10.1
Infant deaths per 1,000 live births, 1993.....	0.0
EDUCATION (Bureau of the Census)	
Persons 25 years and over, 1990.....	1,184
Percent high school graduates.....	85.4
Percent college graduates.....	18.7
LABOR FORCE (Bureau of Labor Statistics)	
Civilian labor force, 1994.....	1,110
Percent unemployed.....	3.9
PRIVATE NONFARM ESTABLISHMENTS (Bureau of the Census)	
Total establishments, 1993.....	49
Percent retail trade.....	36.7
Percent services.....	10.2
Paid employees, 1993 (pay period including March 12).....	467
Annual payroll, 1993 (\$1,000).....	9,808
PERSONAL INCOME (Bureau of Economic Analysis)	
Total personal income, 1993 (\$1,000).....	33,228
Per capita (dollars).....	18,709
AGRICULTURE (Bureau of the Census)	
Number of farms, 1992.....	143
Land in farms as percent of total land.....	99
RETAIL TRADE (Bureau of the Census)	
Retail sales, 1992 (\$1,000).....	7,685
Per capita (dollars).....	4,349
COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANKS (Fed. Deposit Insurance Corp.)	
Number of offices, June 30, 1994.....	2
Total deposits (\$1,000).....	17,056
SOCIAL PROGRAMS (Social Security Administration)	
Total Social Security recipients, December 1993.....	420
Retired workers.....	285
Supplementary Security Income recipients, December 1994..	29
FEDERAL FUNDS AND GRANTS (Bureau of the Census)	
Total direct expenditures or obligations per capita:	
1994 (dollars).....	9,459
1990 (dollars).....	8,887

(NA) Not available. (D) Avoid disclosure of confidential information.

(X) Not applicable. (S) Does not meet publication standards.

(Z) Value > 0 but < half unit of measure shown.

NOTE: 0 data may indicate geographic/data footnotes.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, USA Counties 1996 CD-ROM.